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**of Correction**

U.S. Patent Number: 6,955,380  
Issue Date: October 18, 2005  
Inventor(s): Sebastian Barr  
Title: DRAWER SAFETY LATCH  
Attorney Docket Number: BAR.203

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**REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION**

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Dear Sir:

A Request for a Certificate of Correction was recently submitted by fax on November 3, 2005. A copy of Form PTO/SB/44 that was submitted at that time is provided with this facsimile transmittal. There were two errors that needed correction: one in the specification and one in the claims. According to the letter mailed January 18, 2006, a certificate of correction will issue for the error in the specification, but the request to correct the error in the claims was rejected. Applicant requests reconsideration in light of the following explanation:

Claim 1, as printed, was the wrong version of the claim. The correct version of the claim was in the amendment dated April 25, 2005, and the Notice of Allowability was responsive to that amendment. Unfortunately, the claim that was printed was merely a *proposed* amendment that was included as part of an applicant initiated interview request form (PTO-413A) dated March 22, 2005. The interview eventually occurred on

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April 19, 2005. After the interview, the applicant submitted the amendment dated April 25, 2005, and the Notice of Allowance was mailed May 23, 2005. The Notice of Allowance referred to the April 25, 2005 amendment, but the claims that printed were from the interview request form. It is possible that the error was due to the fact that copies of the interview summary and interview request form (with the earlier dated proposed amendment) were attached to the Notice of Allowance. This may have given the appearance that the proposed amendment was later in time than the actual amendment.

The version of claim 1 that appeared with form PTOL-413A and was erroneously printed in the final patent is:

1. A safety latch for a drawer, comprising:  
an L-shaped body, including a vertical leg and a horizontal engaging arm,  
said vertical leg having a top surface and having a flat outer surface for mounting to the inside of a drawer, wherein said L-shaped body is configured so that the horizontal engaging arm will project inwardly into the drawer when the flat outer surface of the vertical leg is mounted to the inside of a vertical wall of the drawer; and  
said engaging arm having a top surface defining forward and rear ramps and a trough between said forward and rear ramps, said trough defining an upward opening, and said ramps terminating short of said upward opening in a vertical plane; wherein said engaging arm is movable up and down relative to said vertical leg; and  
wherein the top surface of said engaging arm, including at least a portion of said trough, is at a higher elevation than the top surface of said vertical leg when said L-shaped body is in a relaxed, unflexed position, so that, when said vertical leg is mounted to the inside of a vertical wall of the drawer flush with the top of the drawer, the top surface of said engaging arm and at least a portion of said trough project above the top of the drawer.

The correct version of claim 1, as found in the amendment dated April 25, 2005, is:

1. A safety latch for a drawer, comprising:  
an L-shaped body, including a vertical leg; and a horizontal leg projecting inwardly from said vertical leg; and  
an engaging arm projecting from said horizontal leg along a plane parallel to and offset from said vertical leg,  
said vertical leg having a flat outer surface for mounting to the inside of a drawer, and  
said engaging arm having a top surface defining forward and rear ramps and a trough between said forward and rear ramps, said trough defining an upward opening, and said ramps terminating short of said upward opening in a vertical plane; wherein said engaging arm is movable up and down relative to said vertical leg.

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The correct version of claim 1 should replace the version of claim 1 that was erroneously printed. This error was caused by the Patent Office. Therefore, no fee is due. For convenient reference, Applicant is including copies of the Notice of Allowability Form PTOL-37; pages 1 and 3 from the April 25, 2005 amendment; Interview Request Form PTOL-413A; and page 1 of the proposed amendment accompanying the Interview Request Form with pertinent parts circled. Thank You.

Respectfully submitted,



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PATENT NO. : 6,955,380  
APPLICATION NO.: 10/713,418  
ISSUE DATE : 10/18/2005  
INVENTOR(S) : Sebastian Barr

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### Columns 1 and 2:

The first three paragraphs of the Description of the Preferred Embodiment are in the wrong order. The order of the paragraphs should be reversed, and the text beginning at column 1, line 51 and ending at column 2, line 17 should be replaced with the following:

FIGS. 1-8 show a drawer safety latch 10 made in accordance with the present invention. Referring to FIGS. 2, 4, 5, and 6, the safety latch 10 is a substantially "L" shaped body (seen best in FIG. 6), including a vertical leg 12, a horizontal leg 36 projecting inwardly from said vertical leg 12, and an engaging arm 20 projecting forward from said horizontal leg 36. The vertical leg 12 lies in one plane, and the engaging arm 20 extends along a second plane that is parallel to and offset from the vertical leg.

The vertical leg 12 has an inside face 14, a flat outside face 16, and a top surface 18. In this embodiment 10, there is an adhesive strip adhered to the outside face 16, including a peel-off protective sheet 24, which covers the adhesive strip until the user is ready to install the safety latch 10 in the drawer 22, at which time he peels off the protective sheet 24 to expose the adhesive surface in order to adhere the vertical leg 12 to the side of the drawer 22.

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INVENTOR(S) : Sebastian Barr

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Column 3, claim 1:

Replace entire claim 1 with the following:

1. A safety latch for a drawer, comprising:

an L-shaped body, including a vertical leg; and a horizontal leg projecting inwardly from said vertical leg; and an engaging arm projecting from said horizontal leg along a plane parallel to and offset from said vertical leg, said vertical leg having a flat outer surface for mounting to the inside of a drawer, and said engaging arm having a top surface defining forward and rear ramps and a trough between said forward and rear ramps, said trough defining an upward opening, and said ramps terminating short of said upward opening in a vertical plane;

wherein said engaging arm is movable up and down relative to said vertical leg.

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<b>Notice of Allowability</b>	Application No.		Applicant(s)	
	10/713,418		BARR, SEBASTIAN	
	Examiner		Art Unit	
	Christopher Boswell		3676	

-- The MAILING DATE of this communication appears on the cover sheet with the correspondence address--

All claims being allowable, PROSECUTION ON THE MERITS IS (OR REMAINS) CLOSED in this application. If not included herewith (or previously mailed), a Notice of Allowance (PTOL-85) or other appropriate communication will be mailed in due course. **THIS NOTICE OF ALLOWABILITY IS NOT A GRANT OF PATENT RIGHTS.** This application is subject to withdrawal from issue at the initiative of the Office or upon petition by the applicant. See 37 CFR 1.313 and MPEP 1308.

1. ☒ This communication is responsive to the amendment filed April 25, 2005.

2. ☒ The allowed claim(s) is/are 1-11.

3. ☒ The drawings filed on 11/14/03 are accepted by the Examiner.

4. ☐ Acknowledgment is made of a claim for foreign priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119(a)-(d) or (f).

a) ☐ All   b) ☐ Some\*   c) ☐ None   of the:

1. ☐ Certified copies of the priority documents have been received.

2. ☐ Certified copies of the priority documents have been received in Application No. \_\_\_\_\_.

3. ☐ Copies of the certified copies of the priority documents have been received in this national stage application from the International Bureau (PCT Rule 17.2(a)).

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Applicant has THREE MONTHS FROM THE "MAILING DATE" of this communication to file a reply complying with the requirements noted below. Failure to timely comply will result in ABANDONMENT of this application.  
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5. ☐ A SUBSTITUTE OATH OR DECLARATION must be submitted. Note the attached EXAMINER'S AMENDMENT or NOTICE OF INFORMAL PATENT APPLICATION (PTO-152) which gives reason(s) why the oath or declaration is deficient.

6. ☐ CORRECTED DRAWINGS (as "replacement sheets") must be submitted.

(a) ☐ including changes required by the Notice of Draftsperson's Patent Drawing Review (PTO-948) attached

1) ☐ hereto or 2) ☐ to Paper No./Mail Date \_\_\_\_\_.

(b) ☐ including changes required by the attached Examiner's Amendment / Comment or in the Office action of Paper No./Mail Date \_\_\_\_\_.

Identifying Indicia such as the application number (see 37 CFR 1.84(c)) should be written on the drawings in the front (not the back) of each sheet. Replacement sheet(s) should be labeled as such in the header according to 37 CFR 1.121(d).

7. ☐ DEPOSIT OF and/or INFORMATION about the deposit of BIOLOGICAL MATERIAL must be submitted. Note the attached Examiner's comment regarding REQUIREMENT FOR THE DEPOSIT OF BIOLOGICAL MATERIAL.

**Attachment(s)**

<p>1. <input type="checkbox"/> Notice of References Cited (PTO-892)</p> <p>2. <input type="checkbox"/> Notice of Draftsperson's Patent Drawing Review (PTO-948)</p> <p>3. <input type="checkbox"/> Information Disclosure Statements (PTO-1449 or PTO/SB/08), Paper No./Mail Date _____</p> <p>4. <input type="checkbox"/> Examiner's Comment Regarding Requirement for Deposit of Biological Material</p>	<p>5. <input type="checkbox"/> Notice of Informal Patent Application (PTO-152)</p> <p>6. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Interview Summary (PTO-413), Paper No./Mail Date <u>4/19/05</u></p> <p>7. <input type="checkbox"/> Examiner's Amendment/Comment</p> <p>8. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Examiner's Statement of Reasons for Allowance</p> <p>9. <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____</p>
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U.S. Patent Application S.N. 10/713,418

Title: DRAWER SAFETY LATCH

Filing Date: November 14, 2003

Group Art Unit: 3676

Examiner: Christopher J. Boswell

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I hereby certify that this paper is being sent by facsimile transmission to FAX No. 703-872-9306 on April 25, 2005. Name CAROLYN LAUGHERTY.  
Signature Carolyn Laugherty Date April 25, 2005.

**Amendment**

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This Amendment is being filed in response to the Office Action mailed February 25, 2005.

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Please amend the claims to the following:

1.(currently amended) A safety latch for a drawer, comprising:

an L-shaped body, including a vertical leg; and a horizontal leg projecting inwardly from said vertical leg; and

an a horizontal engaging arm projecting from said horizontal leg along a plane parallel to and offset from said vertical leg,

said vertical leg having a flat outer surface for mounting to the inside of a drawer; and

said engaging arm having a top surface defining forward and rear ramps and a trough between said forward and rear ramps, said trough defining an upward opening, and said ramps terminating short of said upward opening in a vertical plane;

wherein said engaging arm is movable up and down relative to said vertical leg.

2.(currently amended) A safety latch for a drawer as recited in claim 1, wherein said L-shaped body is made in a unitary piece, and including a horizontal leg projecting inwardly from said vertical leg, wherein said engaging arm projects forward from said horizontal leg and is movable by flexing said unitary piece.



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## Applicant Initiated Interview Request Form

Application No.: 10/713,418 First Named Applicant: Barr  
Examiner: Boswell Art Unit: 3676 Status of Application: Final Rejection

## Tentative Participants:

(1) Theresa Camoriano (2) Sebastian Barr  
(3) \_\_\_\_\_ (4) \_\_\_\_\_

Proposed Date of Interview: 3/24/05 Proposed Time: 10:00 (AM/PM)

## Type of Interview Requested:

(1) ☒ Telephonic (2) ☐ Personal (3) ☐ Video Conference

Exhibit To Be Shown or Demonstrated: ☐ YES ☒ NO

If yes, provide brief description: \_\_\_\_\_

## Issues To Be Discussed

Issues (Rej., Obj., etc)	Claims/ Fig. #s	Prior Art	Discussed	Agreed	Not Agreed
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☒ Continuation Sheet Attached

## Brief Description of Arguments to be Presented:

Amend claim 1 to require top surface of engaging arm at higher elev. as per attached  
If the top surface of Bayca projected above the drawer, it would cause a problem.  
See attachment - 3 pages

An interview was conducted on the above-identified application on \_\_\_\_\_  
NOTE: This form should be completed by applicant and submitted to the examiner in advance of the interview (see MPEP § 713.01).

This application will not be delayed from issue because of applicant's failure to submit a written record of this interview. Therefore, applicant is advised to file a statement of the substance of this interview (37 CFR 1.133(b)) as soon as possible.

Theresa Camoriano

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Examiner/SPE Signature

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Proposed amendment to claim 1:

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the drawer; and

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Column 3, claim 1:

Replace entire claim 1 with the following:

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